

"We heard a 'pretty good one' the other day, which we think merits a wider circulation than it has yet. The story runs that some rough-looking, honest-faced Hoosier went into a fancy store in Cincinnati, in hunt of a situation. The proprietor or head clerk was sitting in the counting room, with his feet comfortably cocked up on a table, and contemplating human life through the softening influence of cigar smoke. Our Hoosier friend addressed him modestly as follows:

"Do you want to hire a hand about your establishment, sir?"

The clerk looked up indifferently, but seeing his customer, concluded to have some fun out of him; so he answered very briskly, at the same time pulling out a large and costly handkerchief, and blowing his nose on it.

"Yes, sir. What sort of a situation do you want?"

"Well," says Hoosier, "I'm not particular; I'm out of work and almost anything 'll do me for a while."

"Yes; well, I can give you a situation if it will suit you," he made another deposit in his magnificent handkerchief.

"What is it? What is to be done, and what do you give," inquired the other.

"Well," was the answer, "I want hands to chew rags into paper, and if you are willing to set in, you can commence at once."

"Good as wheat," exclaimed Hoosier; "hand over your rags."

"Here," was the rejoinder, "take this handkerchief, and commence with that."

Hoosier saw the 'sell,' and putting the handkerchief in his pocket, remarked, as he turned to go out, 'When I get it chewed, stranger, I'll fetch it back.'

WORMY.—The Louisville Courier tells some 'hard yarns.' It says that a fishing party in Kentucky got out of 'bait,' and no worms were to be found. At last a young lady suggested the following:

"That a physician who was present should dispatch a messenger to his office to procure a vial of vermifuge, which should be administered to a certain tall-faced young man who had been affecting some attentions to her during the morning, and if the worms were not forthcoming, she would pay the expense of the medicine!"

It is not positively known whether the prescription was administered, but it is known that few persons have the temerity to say 'worms' in the presence of a certain tall-faced young gentleman in the vicinity of Brashear's Creek.

A tipsy man went into a Sunday School, and for a few moments listened attentively to the questions propounded to the scholars; but being anxious to show his knowledge of "scriptur" and doctrine, he stood up, leaning on the front of the pew with both hands.

"Parson B," said he, "ask me some of them hard ques-shuns."

"Uncle John," said the parson, with a solemn face, in a drawing tone, "don't you know that you are in the bonds of sin and the depths of iniquity?"

"Yes, sir, and in the gall of bitterness, too. Ask me another ques-shun."

How to make a horse carry his tail straight.—I had a very fine colt that carried his tail on one side, and was continually throwing it over the driving line, when to cure him of this habit, I braided a loop in his tail, and tied it with a string to the trace on the same side on which he carried it, and when he found it was tied he would pull on it, when I would let him up a little gradually on the string, until at length he came to carry his tail perfectly straight.—[Boston Cultivator.]

As the lovely cedar is green throughout the barrenness of winter, so shall the Christian alone flourish amid the winter of death, and bloom in immortality.

A boy called a doctor to visit his father, who had the delirium tremens. Not rightly remembering the name of the disease, he called it the devil's trembles—making bad Latin, but very good English.

A letter closed by the white of an egg cannot be opened by the steam of boiling water, like a common wafer, as the heat only adds to its firmness.

Experience is the only good teacher.

## FAYETTE—NEW GOODS.

**GREENABAUM & BARTHS,**  
A GAIN return their thanks to their old friends and customers for the liberal patronage heretofore extended to them, and are again gratified to be able to inform them that they are in receipt of the

**Largest and Best Stock**  
Ever brought to Fayette, which were bought on the most reasonable terms in the Eastern cities. We are determined to sell cheap as any other house west of St. Louis.

No hoarding. This stock was bought with an eye to the wants, wishes, and taste of the ladies in particular, and we are gratified in knowing from the signs of the times that we are not disappointed. Our stock consists in part of the richest assortment of

Child, striped broad silks;  
Silk trunks, plain, plaid and figured;  
Challeys, all colors;  
Barges, all colors and qualities;  
Linen, cross-barred and dotted Swiss;  
Fine printed and plaid jacquard and cambric;  
Large stock of shawls and mantillas;  
Lawn, from 10 to 40 cents;  
Black and fancy gingham, all qualities;  
Colored and black organic lawns;  
Burlingtons, all colors;  
Bishop's lawn and mill muslins;  
The largest stock of embroideries and hosiery ever brought to this market, and of the very finest quality;  
Linen cambric handkerchiefs;  
Ladies' undersleeves, chemises, collars, &c.;  
Bonnet ribbons, rich, rare and beautiful;  
Bonnets, silk, gimp and straw, all qualities and prices;  
Irish linens, dress trimmings, buttons, velvet ribbons, and all other articles usually carried in this market.

For the goods we would say our stock of cloths, cassimeres, jeans, linen, boots, shoes, hats and caps of all kinds, clothing and everything in their line is complete and cheap.

Our stock of hardware, queensware and glassware is large.

In a word, our stock is complete, having everything usually kept in a dry goods store, and at prices that can't fail to give satisfaction to all.

Our stock has been purchased on the best of terms, and we are determined to sell as cheap as any house west of St. Louis. All we ask is to call for it.

Fayette, May 11, 1854.

**JOSEPH S. NANNON**      **THEO. BARTHOLOW**  
**RECEIVING, FORWARDING AND COMMISSION MERCHANTS.**  
**PRODUCE DEALERS,**  
**AND**  
**STEAM BOAT AGENTS,**  
**GLASGOW, MO.**

Begin to return their sincere thanks for the liberal patronage extended to them last season, and to announce to their friends and customers that their arrangements for the ensuing season are perfected with a view to doing a largely increased business.

We will occupy the warehouses used by us last season, and are constructing one of our own of great capacity and safety, which will be completed by the opening of spring business. Our new house fronts on the river, running back to first street, and will be specially adapted to receiving and storing goods safely in all kinds of weather. We will spare no pains or expense to make it equal if not superior to any house on the river.

We give our personal attention to all business entrusted to us, and hope by strict attention and fidelity to the interests of our customers, to merit all favors bestowed.

February 2, 1854.      **N. & B.**

**LOGAN D. DAMERON,**  
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**IN FOREIGN AND DOMESTIC DRY GOODS,**  
**WATER STREET, GLASGOW, MO.**

**KEEPS constantly on hand a large assortment of seasonable goods.**

**1854 New Packet. 1854**

**MISSOURI RIVER**  
**FAST PASSENGER PACKET.**  
The new and comfortable steam passenger SATURDAY PACKET, NEW LUCY, Wm. Conley, Master, will run as a regular packet throughout the season between the cities of St. Louis and St. Joseph, leaving St. Louis every alternate Saturday at 4 o'clock, p.m., and St. Joseph every alternate Friday at 12 m.

The New Lucy will commence her regular trips, leaving St. Louis for Jefferson City, Booneville, Glasgow, Lexington, Kansas, Liberty, Camden, Weston, and St. Joseph, on Saturday, April 29th; May 13th and 27th; June 10th and 24th; July 8th and 22nd; August 5th and 19th; September 12th, 26th, and 30th; October 14th and 28th; November 11th and 25th; December 1st and 15th.

On her return will leave St. Joseph every alternate Friday at 12 o'clock, p.m., May 8th and 22nd; June 12th and 26th; July 10th and 24th; August 14th and 28th; September 11th and 25th; October 9th and 23rd; November 6th and 20th; December 13th and 27th.

Very grateful to the shippers and public for the patronage and consideration extended to them on the Henderson, we most respectfully solicit the same for the "New Lucy," promising that nothing on our part shall be wanting to merit the full confidence and favor of the community.

WM. CONLEY, Captain.

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Glasgow, July 13—2m.

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**ST. LOUIS, MISSOURI.**

**PARTICULAR attention paid to the sale of Tobacco, Hemp, Wheat, &c., and to the receiving and forwarding of Produce and Merchandise generally.**

Experience is the only good teacher.

## Season of 1854.

**REGULAR TUESDAY PACKET**  
**FOR MISSOURI RIVER.**

The New, Elegant, and Fast Passenger Steamer, **POLAR STAR**, T. H. BUELL, Master, will leave St. Louis every other Tuesday, at 4 o'clock, p.m., for St. Joseph, Weston, Fort Leavenworth, Parkville, Kansas, Independence, Liberty, Richmond, Camden, Carrollton, Lexington, Dover, Waverly, Carrollton, Miami, Brunswick, Glasgow, and all points below.

Commencing her regular trips from St. Louis Tuesday, February 21st; March 7th and 21st; April 4th and 18th; May 24th, 16th, and 30th; June 13th and 27th; July 11th and 25th; August 8th and 22nd; September 12th and 26th; October 10th and 24th; November 14th and 28th.

On her return will leave St. Joseph every other Monday, commencing February 27th; March 13th and 27th; April 10th and 24th; May 8th and 22nd; June 5th and 19th; July 3rd and 17th; August 7th and 21st; September 14th and 28th; October 12th and 26th; November 9th and 23rd; December 13th and 27th.

Departing from St. Joseph at 10 o'clock, a.m., Tuesday at 7 o'clock, a.m.; Parkville at 10 a.m.; Kansas at 12 m.; Wayne City at 1 p.m.; Liberty at 2 p.m.; Richmond at 3 p.m.; Camden at 4 p.m.; Lexington at 5 p.m.; Weston at 6 p.m.; Dover at 7 p.m.; Waverly at 8 p.m.; Hill's Landing at 11 a.m.; Miami at 1 p.m.; Brunswick at 2 p.m.; Glasgow at 4 p.m.

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**1854. MISSOURI RIVER. 1854.**

**St. Joseph and St. Louis Packet Line.**  
**REGULAR THURSDAY PACKET.**

The staunch, built, fast, and comfortable steam passenger packet, **HONOLULU**, RAS. L.A. WILSON, Master, will leave St. Louis every Thursday at 4 o'clock, p.m., for St. Joseph, Weston, Fort Leavenworth, Parkville, Kansas, Independence, Liberty, Richmond, Camden, Carrollton, Lexington, Dover, Waverly, Carrollton, Miami, Brunswick, Glasgow, and all points below.

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**April 6**

**1854. Regular 1854**

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**REGULAR SATURDAY PACKET.**

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The Sonora will commence her regular trips from St. Louis Saturday, February 20th; March 6th and 20th; April 3rd and 17th; May 1st and 15th; June 5th and 19th; July 3rd and 17th; August 7th and 21st; September 14th and 28th; October 12th and 26th; November 9th and 23rd; December 13th and 27th.

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Looking Glasses and Looking Glass Plates, in any quantity desired.

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